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The Paris Exhibition.
[Paris Cor. London Daily Telegraph.]

At the coming Exhibition all the French Crown jewels are to be displayed, and, as I read, but scarcely credit, are to be kept in a kind of gigantic jewel-case in the middle of the garden. This case is so arranged that, upon pressing a spring, it sinks into the ground. Upwards of three hundred boxes and packages have arrived at Havre from New York for this ever-recurring Universal Exhibition. They contain, among other objects, complete sets of ambulances for the wounded in battle, with all their provision of instruments and surgical and medical appliances; also the materials for furnishing military hospitals, such as were in use during the late war. These will be, just now, very interesting to the excited mind of Europe—a state of mind which has nightmares of armaments and dreams of battle, and which is very ready to believe that the Paris public will think of Messrs. Mace, Goss and others?

Apologies of the Exhibition and its times and people. I do not think you will ever get over the luggage examination. Cigars will be brought to Paris, and quite right, too, for those here are very bad. I am looking, of course, from a luxurious point of view. Books will be smuggled into London and I confess that Macaulay's "History of England" at about 7s. 6d. is tempting; but I do not see how these international transactions can be conducted without what you call "a loss to the revenue."

THE CRISIS.—The New York Tribune laments "a grand mistake, the accumulation of helpless people in every great city."

Speaking generally, cities should be resorted to only by the able, the skillful, the efficient. If you know how to do the work of three or four average men, and are sure of a chance to demonstrate it, you may get on in a city; but if you can do but one man's work, the heavy cost of living in a city will soon devour you. A single person of average capacity may, while in the flush of youth and healthful vigor, get on here as a journeyman, laborer, cook, or chambermaid; but let such a one marry and have children and he or she is on the high road to a pauper's grave. Rents and food will be higher here, at least, while almost everybody prefers to live in a city; and the constant influx of youth and energy tends to crowd out the burdened and the flagging. In this boiling, breaking surf, only strong or dexterous swimmers can reasonably hope to live; yet here is just where the halt and the lame love to congregate. Let any one evince chronic incapacity to make his way in the country, and his relatives and friends are pretty certain to ship him off to seek his fortune in a city.

The legions of incapables thus piled upon this emporium exceed all belief. There are probably one hundred thousand people here to-day, who, if they had been placed in the garden of Eden when Adam was, would have soon starved to death there for want of some one to pluck the fruit and put it into their mouths.

SCARCITY OF LABOR.—The cry continues to come from the surrounding counties of the great and increasing scarcity of labor. The spring is upon us, and yet there are many, if not a majority of our farmers, who have not succeeded in hiring enough hands to work their farms—and some have hired none at all. The city is filled with idle negro men, but it is folly to ask them to go to the country. They prefer to live as best they may in the city, rather than to enjoy a competence earned by the sweat of honest toil. A gentleman who wanted only two hands, told us yesterday that he had approached no less than fifty different negroes on Monday, and offered them \$10 per month, payable monthly, with rations and quarters, but they positively refused to accept his proposition, and he did not contract with a single one. We see no remedy for this state of affairs unless it be found in a vagrant law, and its duty to the Legislature has not done its duty to the State, and to the law set aside by Terry last winter. It is not too late to take this matter up now, and we hope it will be done.

The negro, as well as the white man, should be forced to earn what he eats.—*Lyndalry News.*

IRISH EMIGRATION.—The Virginia Senate yesterday passed a local bill to incorporate the Irish Emigrant Aid Society of Virginia. It constitutes certain citizens named therein and such other persons as may hereafter be associated with them, a body corporate, with the object of affording aid and information to emigrants, and generally to promote their welfare. The society is empowered to take, by purchase or gift, and hold, by lease or rental, and rent out of lease, mortgage, sell, transfer or convey real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding at any one time one hundred thousand dollars. The control and disposal of the funds, property and estate, and the direction and management of the concerns of the society, including the framing of a constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations, not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of this State or of the United States, are to be vested in a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, and nine other persons, to be designated the executive committee. The act takes effect as soon as it passes the House of Delegates.—*Rich. Ea.*

A story is told of a soldier, who about one hundred and fifty years ago, was frozen in Siberia. The last expression he made was, "It is ex—." He then froze as stiff as marble. In the summer of 1860 some French physicians found him, after having lain frozen for one hundred and fifty years. They gradually thawed him, and upon animation being restored, he concluded his sentence with "ceedingly cold!"

DUCK GAUNTLETS FOR BOYS, just received and for sale by
WITMER & SLAYMAKER.
N. E. corner King & Royal sts.
Jan 12—

COURT NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 4th day of February, 1867, Claborn K. Mason and William R. Johnson, Jr., plaintiffs, against David P. Bodfish, Alexander Mills, Martin L. Sheldon and A. Grant Childs, joint partners, under the name and style of Bodfish, Mills & Co., and the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company, defendants. In chancery and on attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendants the sum of \$25,750 75, and to subject certain bonds to which the defendants, Bodfish, Mills & Co., are entitled, executed by and in possession of the said Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company; also, any stock in said company to which they are entitled, and any other estate or debts due them within the county of Alexandria, to the payment of the same.

The defendants, David P. Bodfish, Alexander Mills, Martin L. Sheldon and A. Grant Childs, joint partners, under the name and style of Bodfish, Mills & Co., not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County.

A copy, teste, J. TACEY, Clerk.
Brent & Wattle, P. Q. feb 14—law4w

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 4th day of February, 1867, Herman K. Bradshaw, plaintiff, against David P. Bodfish, Alexander Mills, Martin L. Sheldon and A. Grant Childs, joint partners, under the name and style of Bodfish, Mills & Co., defendants. In chancery and on attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendants the sum of \$10,000, with interest on \$4,000, paid thereon from October 15, 1866, and on \$6,000, another part thereof, from November 15, 1866, till paid, and to subject the debts due, and to become due, from the defendants, the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Co., to the defendants, Bodfish, Mills & Co., and all other estate or debts due the said defendants, Bodfish, Mills & Co.

The defendants, Bodfish, Mills & Co., not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County. A copy, teste, J. TACEY, Clerk.
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VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, on the 6th day of February, 1867, John F. Johnson vs. Basil Brawner and Malinda his wife, Redman P. Brawner, Stephen E. Meade, John H. Sullivan and the heirs of William Brawner, whose names are unknown, defendants. In chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain a deed for a certain tract of land in the county of Prince William, Massachusetts Junction, containing about 102 acres, purchased by the plaintiff of the defendant, Redman P. Brawner, attorney in fact for the defendant, John H. Sullivan.

The defendants, Stephen E. Meade, John H. Sullivan, and the heirs of Wm. Brawner, whose names are unknown, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County. A copy, teste, M. B. SINCLAIR, Clerk.
A. Nicol, P. Q. feb 8—law4w

VIRGINIA. to wit:—In the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, February rules, 1867, Richard M. Weir, administrator of Jo-hiah Wilcox, deceased, vs. S. J. Hoag, O. W. Hunt and Henry Tyler, in chancery.

The object of this suit is to attach in the hands of the defendants, O. W. Hunt and Henry Tyler, any money in their hands, due or to become due to the defendant, S. J. Hoag, individually or as commissioner for the sale of a house and lot in the town of Providence, in a certain suit depending in the Circuit Court of Fairfax, in which said Hoag is complainant and Daniel F. and Sheldon J. Hoag are defendants, with interest from 1st January, 1867.

COURT NOTICES.

IN FAIRFAX COUNTY COURT, November term, A. Stoddard vs. A. Aldrich, in chancery.

And the Court doth further adjudge and decree that this cause be referred to M. D. Ball, one of the Master Commissioners of this Court, to ascertain and report the several items, their amounts, priorities, and to whom due, existing on the land, in the bill and proceedings mentioned, and that he ascertain the fee simple and annual value of said land, and to this end that he convene the creditors of said Aldrich by notice, for at least four weeks, in some newspaper, of the time and place of taking such account, which notice shall be equivalent to personal service on all interested, and that he report his proceedings therein to the next term of this Court, with any matter he may deem pertinent, or that either party interested may require. An extract—
F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

Parties interested in the above decree are notified that I will take the accounts therein ordered, at my office, at Fairfax Court House, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of March next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. M. DULANY BALL, Com'r., in Chancery.

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 4th day of February, 1867, John W. Stewart, plaintiff, and A. H. Brad, defendant. In case and upon an attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant the sum of \$82.57, with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of July, 1864, till paid, and to subject the two-story frame building and the lot upon which it stands, No. 85, north Henry street, east side, between Queen and Princess streets, Alexandria, Va., to the payment of the same.

The defendant not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County. A copy, teste, J. TACEY, Clerk.
H. O. Claughton, P. Q. feb 9—law4w

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 4th day of February, 1867, Daniel Williamson, plaintiff, against Thomas Grayson, defendant. In case and on attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover from the defendant the sum of \$816, with legal interest on \$150, from July 1st, 1866, and on the residue from the 1st day of August, 1866, subject to a credit of one hundred dollars, as of the 22d day of September, 1866, and to subject certain real estate in the city of Alexandria, Va., consisting of a house and lot of ground, and a building on the north side of the city of Alexandria, with the east side of Henry street; and, also, a long boat, named "the George and Martha," lying at the wharf in front of the city of Alexandria, Va.

The defendant not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County. A copy, teste, J. TACEY, Clerk.
F. L. Smith, P. Q. feb 9—law4w

VIRGINIA.—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, on the 4th day of February, 1867, Asher W. Gray and Wm. Miller, late copartners, under the firm name of Gray, Miller & Co. (use of John W. Stewart) plaintiffs, against A. L. Bradt, defendant. In case and upon attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant the sum of \$50.61, with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of July, 1864, till paid, and to subject the two-story frame building and the lot upon which it stands, No. 85, north Henry street, east side, between Queen and Princess streets, Alexandria, Va., to the payment of the same.

The defendant not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County. A copy, teste, J. TACEY, Clerk.
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COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

JAMES H. SIMPSON, JAMES R. ATWILL, SIMPSON & ATWILL, GENERAL AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, NO. 4, SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET.

Begin leave to inform the citizens of Alexandria that they are prepared to attend to the sale of wholesale and retail of Groceries, Cattle, Horses, Lots, Household Effects, Horses, Cattle, and all kinds of Merchandise, &c., &c. Returns promptly made.
JAS. H. SIMPSON, JAS. R. ATWILL.
ALEXANDRIA, Va., Jan. 9, 1866. (Jan 9—)

WITHERS & TOLSON. Wholesale and Retail Dealers in HAY, FEED, FLOUR, &c. (Liberty Hall) No. 89, Cameron st. We, the undersigned, have this day formed a partnership, for the purpose of conducting a corn business, for the purpose of conducting a corn business, for the purpose of conducting a corn business. We will keep constantly on hand all articles in our line, and hope to merit a liberal share of the public patronage.
LITTLETON WITHERS, E. LAWRENCE TOLSON.
January 3, 1867. (Jan 3—)

P. H. HOFF. FLOUR, GRAIN AND GROCERY MERCHANT, No. 38, SOUTH UNION STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Particular attention paid to all consignments.
T. T. GWIN, J. T. BECKHAM, Formerly of Gwin & Son, Culpeper co., Va. GWIN & BECKHAM, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 6, Union street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Strict attention given to the sale of Country Produce, and to the purchase of Guano, Plaster, Salt, Groceries, &c., &c. no 19—f

LUTHER D. HARRISON. AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, NO. 18 NORTH ROYAL STREET, Respectfully solicits consignments. Sales attended to with promptness and dispatch.
GEORGE WASHINGTON, GROCER FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, Office No. 6, Union street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Particular attention paid to the selling of all kinds of Country Produce, and of filling orders for Groceries, Guano, Seeds, &c. Goods promptly forwarded.
JAN 5—f

W. A. SMOOT. FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 3, King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Strict attention paid to the sale of all kinds of Produce.
CUMBERLAND COAL kept constantly on hand.
J. BRODERS & CO., NO. 11, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Wholesale Dealers in GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, SALT FISH, AND PRODUCE. Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps, and Ship and Naval Stores. All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on railroad and Potomac Transportation line.
J. A. STOUTENBURG, AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, Quick returns made for all sales.
SALES ROOM No. 189, KING STREET.

GEORGE H. ROBINSON. GROCER, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 5, UNION ST., ALEXANDRIA, VA. Particular attention paid to the selling of all kinds of country produce. Goods forwarded promptly.
THOMAS PERRY, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, NO. 8, PRINCE STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. Farmers furnished with Guano, Farming Implements, Groceries, &c., at the lowest market rates FOR CASH.
AUG 25—f

OPEN THIS DAY! NEW GOODS! GREAT BARGAINS! Balmore Skirts, Dress Goods, Bleached and Unbleached Cottons, Heavy Grey Cloths, Blankets, Twill Flannels, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Gloves, Hosiery, Shawls, Calicoes, Tickings, Striped Domestic, Linen Shirt Bosoms, with a general assortment of first-class Dry Goods, all of which will be sold at the very lowest prices, for cash.
ROBERT L. WOOD, No. 170, King street, Under O. & R. R. Office.
no 22—

BROOM FACTORY. H. ERIC SMITH'S BROOM FACTORY, NO. 4, KING STREET, (NEAR FAIRFAX). THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE WILL BE PAID FOR BROOM CORN.

NEW GOODS. At the lowest prices yet reached. We are to-day receiving a full assortment of Calicoes, Bleached and Unbleached Shirts and Shirts, various styles. Our assortment of Dress Goods is still very complete, and at very low prices.
WITMER & SLAYMAKER.
feb 4—

WALL PAPER, &c.

WALL PAPERS, BORDERS, FIRE BOARD PRINTS, WINDOW PAPER. JOHN P. CLARKE

Has resumed his business at the old stand, NO. 158, KING STREET. HIS PAPER HANGING DEPARTMENT contains as usual the choicest, both, PLAIN AND DECORATIVE, of the most celebrated FRENCH AND AMERICAN MANUFACTURE, suitable for Parlors, Dining Rooms, Halls, &c. All orders for PAPERING Private Dwellings, and Public Buildings will be promptly executed in the most superior style at the lowest prices. The many years experience in this business makes him confident in giving satisfaction to all that may favor him with their patronage.

178 WALL PAPERS. SOUTH KING ST., SOUTH KING ST. WINDOW SHADES, PAPER CURTAINS, PICTURE FRAMES, SHADE FIXTURES, PICTURE CORDS, TASSELS, FIRE BOARD PRINTS, BORDERS, &c.

The subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally that he has on hand, and will be constantly receiving, choice selections of the above named goods, which will be sold at reduced prices for cash. All orders for Paper Hanging, Window Shades, putting down carpets, &c., will be promptly attended to by experienced workmen, and at moderate charges.
A. M. TUBMAN, my 21—f 178, south side King street

PIANOS! VICTOR BECKER, NO. 61, NORTH WASHINGTON STREET, (CORNER OF QUEEN ST.) Will constantly keep for sale and rent PIANOS AND MELODEONS, Knabe & Co's. Unsurpassed Pianos, Vose's Celebrated Second-hand Pianos—very low. Reed Organs for Parlors and Churches. Terms to suit the times, and every instrument warranted.
Pianos, Melodeons, Accordeons, &c., tuned and repaired. Orders for me will be received at Mr. J. Entwistle's Book Store, 110, King street, or Mr. Robert Ball's Book Store, No. 61, King street.

J. P. BARTHOLOW. NO. 25, KING STREET, (Between Water and Union streets.) ALEXANDRIA, VA. Manufacturer of and Dealer in AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS AND MACHINERY. Importer and Grower of GARDEN, FIELD & GRASS SEEDS, STANDARD FERTILIZERS. Agent for Fairbanks' Scales, and Herring's Scales.
L. P. BARTHOLOW, 25, King st., Alexandria, Va. 538, 7th st., Washington, D. C. jan 1—f

GREAT ADVANTAGES TO FAMILIES. Come one, come all, give CONWAY a call, at the old Star Engine Hall. I shall always use my great-stender's tools to accommodate all. My customers desire to become acquainted with the mode of frying oysters in restaurant style, will give me an early call, as I am giving advice free. You may know how to make small oysters large, by taking a pleasant walk to CONWAY'S HALL. Particular attention given to Country trade. Fresh supplies always on hand at the old STAR ENGINE HALL, No. 18, St. Asaph street, between Prince and Kings. feb 1—f

WHEELER & WILSON'S LOCK-STITCH SEWING MACHINES. CHAS. W. GREEN, AGENT, 68, King street. Would call attention of parties wishing to supply themselves with first-class Sewing Machines to the above, over fifty thousand of which were manufactured and sold during the past year. The latest style machines, with improvements, are very simple, so much so that a child can work them with perfect ease. These machines vary in price from \$55 upwards. (Feb 1—f)

ANOTHER LARGE LOT OF NEW GOODS. Just received, at such a great reduction in prices that will enable us to sell much lower than any goods that have been offered in this market. Among them are— 3-4 and 6-4 Virginia Casimires, 3-4 and 6-4 Virginia Meltons, equal in weight, finish and color to the English Melton, and at about half the price. Our line of Mourning Goods embraces every desirable style. In plain colors we have Irish and French Poplins, French Merinos, Dolaines and Repps. We have also many styles of Embroidered Poplins, which we offer at retail 50 per cent less than the cost of importation. Our assortment of Domestic is now very full, and we are sure that they are held at prices much under what they have been.

SPRING STYLES! JUST RECEIVED! HOOP SKIRTS! LATEST STYLES! ALSO A LOT OF COLORED & WHITE SKIRTS, superior quality, extra-size bands (30 and 36 in.) The above goods are made at a specialty in stock, and purchasers will find it to their interest to call, examine styles and compare prices.
CHARLES W. GREEN, feb 5— 68, King street.

JUST RECEIVED— Brown's Essence Jamaica, Ginger, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Seth Arnold's Balm, Hester's Balm, Burnett's Cod Liver Oil, Hall's Hair Restorer, Mustard Liniment, Burnett's Cough Syrup, and Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup. **WARFIELD & HALL, Druggists,** no 24— Corner of Prince & Fairfax streets.

FISH! FISH! 50 Bbls. No. 1 Potomac Herring, 30 Bbls. Family Roe, do., 20 Hils. For sale by **THOMAS PERRY.** **JUST RECEIVED—** (Gents) Linen Shirts, Collars, (a full line) Cuffs, plain and reversible, and Shirt Bosoms, various styles. These goods, which were purchased of the manufacturer, will be sold at the lowest rates.
CHARLES W. GREEN, feb 5— 68, King street.

ZEPHYR WORSTED— Bergman's Zephyr Worsted, of the very best quality, all colors and shades, constantly on hand. Price 25 cts per ounce.
C. C. BERRY, 72, King street. **FOR RENT—** A first-class STORE HOUSE, No. 15, King street—one of the best locations in the city for a grocery and commission business. Possession given 20th of February. Apply to **R. L. WOOD.** (Jan 29—f)

FOR SALE AND RENT.

RED HILL FOR SALE.—This desirable country seat will be sold on accommodation terms. It is situated on one of the highest elevations west of the city of Alexandria, within half a mile of the corporate limits, commanding a view of the city of Washington, and the Potomac River, for a distance of sixteen miles below the capital. The DWELLING is new, and recently painted—has ten commodious and convenient rooms, and the lot containing about six acres of fertile land—is capable of being greatly improved and beautified. If not sold before the first of March, it will be offered for rent. Apply to **H. O. CLAUGHTON,** feb 4—2aw3m1 Atty at Law, Alexandria.

FOR RENT.—THE THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING. No. 185, King street, adjoining the city of Alexandria, and containing nine rooms. Possession given immediately. Apply to **ALBERT STUART,** No. 7, south Royal street, feb 5—cotf

DWELLING HOUSE WANTED. A brick dwelling house, containing six or seven rooms, in a good location, and situated on a paved street. It must also be supplied with water and gas. Apply through the Post Office, to box 218. jan 25—

FOR RENT.—THE STORE AND DWELLING. On Fairfax, between Queen and Princess streets, containing nine rooms. Also, TWO HOUSES, containing five rooms each, on Fairfax, between Queen and Princess streets—possession given immediately. Enquire at No. 124, King st. jan 1—f

DESIRABLE HOUSES FOR SALE. Two adjoining houses, Nos. 45 and 47, on the west side of Water street, 30 ft. wide, north of Duke street. The lot front on Water street about 192 feet each, and run back 63 ft 6 inches. Apply to **W. C. YEATON,** feb 10—cotf Attorney for Owner.

FOR RENT OR LEASE.—The three story brick DWELLING, No. 19, Fairfax street—supplied with water and gas. For further particulars apply at No. 101, Prince st. feb 5—cotf **W. A. HARRIS.**

FOR RENT.—Two STORES under the Mansion House Hotel; also, DWELLING HOUSES—new suitable for large families, or boarding houses, and others of smaller capacity. And on Union street, convenient to the railroad, TWO LARGE YARDS, suitable for the lumber, coal, wood, or plaster trade. Enquire of **JAMES GREEN,** 58, Prince street, feb 5—f

SEVERAL STALLS, situated in a comfortable brick stable, for rent low. Apply to **WITHERS & TOLSON.** **HARDWARE, BUILDING MATERIALS, &c.** R. J. SLOAN, H. E. BRUNER, SLOAN & BRUNER, LUMBER MERCHANTS. All kinds of lumber constantly on hand, and sold at the lowest market rates. Office—Hunter's Wharf, near the Tunnel. feb 10—f

T. E. KEMP. DEALER IN HARDWARE, TOOLS, NAILS, LOCKS, CUTLERY, SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, GLASS, PUTTEY, &c. Has removed to NO. 70, KING STREET, (BROWN'S NEW BUILDING.) feb 5—f

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